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*August 5th.*

Five specimens of *Ephialtes asio*, male, female and three young. From Mr. Samuel Powel.

Seven specimens of Phosphate of Lime, from Huntsville, Morris Co., N. J. From Dr. J. C. Fisher.

*August 12th.*

Mounted specimens of *Tamias lysterii*, *Mustela erminea*, (white pelage,) Philadelphia Co., and the same in brown pelage, from England. Presented by Mr. William Wood.

Fossil *Spatangus*, from the Marl, Salem Co., N. J. From Dr. Zantlinger.

Alumina, with peroxide of iron, used as a mineral paint, from the new red sandstone, near Norristown, Pa. Presented by Aubrey H. Smith, Esq.

*August 19th.*

Head of the Walrus, *Trichechus rosomarus*, from the Arctic Ocean. Presented by Sandwith Drinker, Esq., of Hong Kong, China.

*Hirundo rustica*, and *Emberiza rustica*?, from Japan. From Lieut. Edward Brinley, U. S. N.

Three specimens of *Fucoides Alleghaniensis*, from the Juniata river, near Lewistown, Pa. Presented by Dr. Joseph Ard.

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DONATIONS TO LIBRARY

IN JULY AND AUGUST, 1851.

*July 8th.*

*Annales des mines*. 4me. serie. 6me liv. de 1850, 1me liv. de 1851. From the Ecole des Mines.

Catalogue of Malayan Fishes. By Theodore Cantor, M. D. 8vo. From the author.

The Pennsylvania Farm Journal. S. S. Haldeman, editor. Nos. 1—4. From the editor.

On the geographical distribution of the Bulimi. By Lovell Reeve. From the author.

Leeds Philosophical and Literary Society. Annual report for 1849, '50. From the Society.

Proceedings of the Geological and Polytechnic Society of the West Riding of Yorkshire, 1850. From the Society.

Journal of the Indian Archipelago and Eastern Asia. Vol. 3, Nos. 1 and 2. From the editor.

*Archiv. für Naturgeschichte*. Herausgeg. von Dr. F. H. Troschel. Nos. 3, 4, 5, 1849, No. 1, 1850. From the editor.

Contributions to Ornithology. By Sir Wm. Jardine. Pts. 1 and 2, 1851. From H. E. Strickland, Esq.

Proceedings of the Linnean Society of London. Nos. 35—43. From the Society.

List of the Linnean Society of London, for 1850. From the same.

Dr. Wilson presented the following, on the usual condition:—

*Systematische Beschreibung der bekannten europäischen zweiflügeligen Insekten*. Von J. W. Meigen. 2 vols. 8vo.

History of the expedition, under Capts. Lewis and Clark, to the sources of the Missouri, &c. American edition, by Paul Allen. 2 vols. 8vo.

The Natural History of Ireland. Vol. 3. Birds. By W. Thompson, Esq. 8vo.

- The Birds of Australia. By John Gould. Supplement. Part 1.  
 Annales de la Société Entomologique de France. 2<sup>e</sup> serie. Nos. 1—4, 1850. No. 1, 1851.  
 Annals and Magazine of Natural History. 2d series. Nos. 40, 41.  
 Thesaurus Conchyliorum. By G. B. Sowerby, Jr. Part 12.  
 Etudes sur les Echinides fossiles. Par M. Cotteau. Nos. 7 and 8.  
 Phycologia Britannica. By Wm. H. Harvey, M. D. Nos. 57 and 58.  
 History of British Mollusca and their shells. By Prof. Forbes and S. H. Ley. Parts 37 and 38.  
 Journal of the Franklin Institute for June, 1851.  
 Zeitschrift für Malakozoologie. Von R. T. Menke, M. D., und Dr. L. Pfeiffer. Nos. 8, 9, 10, 1850.  
 Revue et Magasin de Zoologie. Par M. Gueris-Méneville. No. 10, 1850. Nos. 3 and 4, 1851.  
 Proceedings of the Zoological Society of London. 1850. pp. 81—192.  
 Illustrations of British Mycology. By Mrs. T. J. Hussey. 2d series. Pts. 4 and 5.  
 Abbildungen und Beschreibungen neuer oder wenig gekannter Conchylien. Von Dr. R. A. Philippi. No 5. Vol. 3.  
 Conchologia iconica. By Lovell Reeve. Parts 96 and 97.  
 The London Athenæum for May, 1851.  
 The Genera of Diurnal Lepidoptera. By E. Doubleday. Continued by J. O. Westwood. Part 42.  
 Histoire naturelle des Mollusques. Par M. de Ferussac: continue par M. Deshayes. No. 41.

*July 15th.*

- Memoires sur la Digitaline: par MM. Homolle et Quevenne.  
 Proceedings of the American Philosophical Society. January to July, 1851. From the Society.  
 Bulletin de la Société Imperiale des Naturalistes de Moscou. An. 1849, No. 4. An. 1850, Nos. 1 et 2. From the Society.  
 The Charleston Medical and Surgical Journal and Review. July, 1851. From the editor.  
 Experimental researches on the unity and diffusion of nervous action. By Bennett Dowler, M. D. From the author.  
 Contributions to the natural history of the Acalephæ of North America. By L. Agassiz. Part 2. From the author.  
 Reports of reconnaissances of routes from San Antonio to El Paso; report of Capt. Marcy's route from Fort Smith to Santa Fé; and report of Col. Simpson of an expedition into the Navajo country. 8vo. From Col. Abert, U. S. Topog. Engineers.  
 Smithsonian contributions to knowledge. Vol. 2. 4to. From the Smithsonian Institution.

*July 22d.*

- The London Athenæum for June, 1851. From Dr. Wilson.  
 The Franklin Institute Journal for July, 1851. From the same.

*August 5th.*

- Historical Discourse before the Graduates of Yale College, Aug. 14, 1850. By T. D. Woolsey. From Mr. E. C. Herrick.  
 Catalogus Collegii Yalensis, 1850. From the same.  
 On the coloring matter of red sandstone and of greyish and white beds associated with them. By J. W. Dawson, Esq. From the Author.  
 Smithsonian Reports. Notices of Public Libraries in the United States. By C. C. Jewett, Librarian of Smithsonian Institution. From the Institution.

The following were presented by Mr. Edward Wilson on the usual condition :—

Memoire sur les ossemens fossiles d'Elephans trouvés en Belgique. Par M Chas. Morren.

Ordonnance concernant les enfans trouves et abandonnes.

La caisse d'Epargne et les Oursins. Par le Baron Charles Dupin.

Observations et questions concernant les moyens d'ameliorer la situation des ouvriers agriculteurs. Par M. de Rainneville.

Extrait des proces verbaux des Seances de la Soc. des Jeunes Liberes du Department de la Seine.

Catalogue des coquilles recueillies dans le Department du Puy de Dome, et determinées d'apres les ouvrages de MM. Draparnaud et Michaud. Par M. J. B. Bouillet.

Sur la theorie de la population. Par M. de Morel-Vinde.

The Income Tax Act. By William Nicholson.

Société Philanthropique. Prix proposes en faveur des Memoires qui auront le mieux établi les bases et les conditions d'association applicables aux Sociétés de Savans mutuel et de Prevoyance.

Compte rendu des travaux de la Société des jeunes libérés.

Musei Indici index.

De Pteropodum ordine et novo ipsius genere. Ab. J. F. G. Kösse.

J. F. Blumenbachii specimen Historiæ naturalis ex auctoribus classicis.

De Pleurobranchæa novo Molluscorum genere. Ab. S. F. Leue.

Ittiologia Adriatica. Di F. Liugi Naccari.

Parergon Ad L. H. Bojani anatomen Testudinis, &c.

Rapports et comptes rendus de la Caisse d'Epargne de Paris pendant l'année 1837.

Über die fossile Reptilien welche im Wartemberg aufgefunden worden sind. Von Geo. F. Jaeger, M. D.

Prodrome d'une monograph des Radiaires ou Echinodermes. Par Louis Agassiz.

Memoire sur le Delphinorhynque microptère. Par B. C. Dumortier.

Cosmus C. Cuno observationes Microscopia.

Remarques zoologiques et anatomiques sur l'Hyperodon. Par M. Deslongchamps.

H. Livii Van Altena commentatio ad questionem systematica enumerentur species indiginée reptilium ex ordine Batrachiorum.

Dalmatiæ nova Serpentium genera. Auctore F. L. Fleischman.

Ueber die Polypen im Allgemeinen und die Actinien insbesondere. Von W. Rapp.

Dissertation sur les Poissons qui se rapprochant le plus des animaux sans vertebres. Par A. M. Constant Dumeril

Considerations sur les Montagnes Volcaniques. Par M. Collini.

Compte rendu de la Société de Charité maternelle de Paris, Années, 1835—1840.

Mémoire descriptif et Ostéographic de la Baleine. Par L. Companyo.

Horæ Tergestinæ: oder Beschreibung und Anatomie der im Herbste 1843 bei Triest beobachteten Akalephen. Von J. G. F. Will.

De Ranis nonnullis observationes anatomicæ. Auctore G. A. Steffen.

Sulla Scoperta dello Scheletro di un Quadrupede colossale fra Strati marini fatta in colle del Placenten dal Cav. Cortesi.

Des alten G.önlands neue perlustration, oder naturell-histoire und Beschreibung der Situation, Beschaffenheit, Luft und des Temperaments dieses Landes. Von Hans Egede. 4to.

Promptuarium Rerum Naturalium et Artificialium Vratislaviense præcipue quas collegit D. J. Chr. Kundmann. 4to.

Genera et species Plantarum Fossilium. Auctore F. Unger. 8vo.

- Pseudodoxia Epidemica*: or enquiries into very many received tenets and commonly presumed truths. By Dr. Thomas Browne. Folio.
- Memorie per servire alla storia di Polypi Marini di Filippo Carolini. 4to.
- Ueber die grosse Seeblase (*Physalia arctusa*) und die Gattung der Seeblasen im Allgemeinen. Von J. Fr. M. v. Olfers.
- Memoire sur la Conformité Organique dans l'Echelle animals. Par Ant. Duges.
- Orthoptera descripta et depicta a F. de Charpentier. Fascic. 1—10. 4to.
- De corporibus marinis Lapidescensibus. Auctore Aug. Scilla. 4to.
- Illustrations of the recent Conchology of Great Britain and Ireland. By Capt. Thos. Brown. 2d edition. 4to.
- Sammlung meistens Deutscher Vögel. Von D. Ben. Chr. Vogel. Folio.
- Honneurs funèbres a la memoire de M. de Montyon.
- Descrizione dei Pesci e dei Crostacei fossili nel Piemonte dell Dott. Eugenio Sismonda. 4to.
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- Description des coquilles fossiles de la famille des Rudistes. Par Oscar Rolland du Roquan. 4to.
- Entomologie Française. Rhyncotes. Par C. J. B. Amyot. 8vo.

*August 12th.*

- Historia naturalis Curculionum Sueciæ*. Auctore G. Bonsdorff. 2 pts. 4to.
- Note por una Bibliografia Malacologica serio al 1840 inclus. (Porro.)
- Observations upon a report of the Select Committee on Salmon Fisheries, Scotland. By Robert Knox.
- Memoire sur quelques coquilles fossiles nouvelles du Bassin Sous-Pyreneen. Par M. J. B. Noulet.
- Revue critique des Poissons fossiles figurés dans Littlilitologia Veronese. Par L. Agassiz.
- Catalogue des Mollusques marins sur les cotes des Boulonnais. Par M. Bouchard-Chantereux.
- An essay on Scientific nomenclature. By the Rev. F. O. Morris.
- Observations sur l'emploi de l'Escargot ingéré vivant. Par L. Legrand.
- Discours sur la Zoologie fossile. Par M. le Dr. Grateloup.
- Summary of the Progress of the Zoological Society of London for 1850. By D. W. Mitchell.
- Zoological Society of London. Account current for 1850.
- Descriptive Catalogue of Snells. (Gray.)
- Organisation de la Société Philomatique et réglément de ses travaux.
- Proceedings of the Berwickshire Naturalists' Club No. 18 and No. 1, Vol. 3.
- Ämtlicher Bericht über die Versammlung deutscher Naturforscher und Ärzte zu Breslau im Sept. 1833. Von J. Wendt und A. W. Otto.
- Transactions of the Entomological Society of London. 1st series, 5 vols. 2d series, pts. 1, 2 and 3; and Journal of Proceedings of same, Nos. 1—10.
- Taxidermy made easy, &c. By John Tyrer. 12mo.
- A treatise on the form of Animals, by the late Henry Cline, Esq. By J. P. C. 12mo.
- Bibliographie entomologique. Par Charles Nodier. 12mo.
- Chambers' Educational Course. Rudiments of Zoology. 8vo.
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Tabular view of the principal fossiliferous deposits of the British Isles. By John Morris.

Encyclopédie d'Histoire Naturelle. Mammifères, series 4 et 5.

Histoire naturelle des Crinoides vivans et fossiles. Par Alcide D'Orbigny. Nos. 1 et 2.

Recent Conchology of Great Britain and Ireland.

## ERRATA IN VOL. V.

- Page 14, line 16 from bottom, for *Zeuker* read *Zenker*.  
 " 22, " 10 " top, for *February* read *August*.  
 " 55, " 23, " bottom, for *Plumus* read *Plumos*.  
 " 117, " 16 " " for *Vol. 5* read *Vol. 4*.  
 " 154, " 12 " top, for *necessarily* read *unnecessarily*.  
 " 157, " 4 " bottom, for *Heidinger* read *Haidinger*.  
 " 169, " 10 " top, for *Dikaj* read *Dijak*.  
 " 209, " 7 " " for *isoseoles* read *isoscel-s*.  
 " 209, " 10 " " for *joints* read *points*.  
 " 210, " 5 " bottom, for *papulus* read *Passalus*.  
 " 210, " 4 " " for *gulus* read *Julus*.  
 " 212, " 21 " " for 8 read 13, and for 34 read 54.  
 " 224, " 10 and 11 from bottom, for *Aspidagaster* read *Aspidogaster*.  
 " 227, " 2 from bottom, insert John H. Brinton.  
 " 256, " 5 " " for *Sowerly* read *Sowerby*.  
 " 259, " 13 " " for *Statisque* read *Statistique*.  
 " 275, " 10 " top, for *Longstreth* read *Langstroth*.  
 " 276, " 19 " " for *robustum* read *priscum*.  
 " 276, " 23 " " for *i. ½* read *i. ¾*.  
 " 276, " 2 " bottom, before "by" insert "read."  
 " 295, " 8 " top, for *were* read *are*.  
 " 296, " 5 " " for *Silliquaria* read *Sigillaria*.  
 " 297, " 13 " " for *Ireland* read *Iceland*.  
 " 297, bottom line, for *Arctos* read *maritimus*.  
 " 301, line 21 from bottom, for *cinqe* read *cinque*.  
 " 345, top line, for *puncticollis* read *poricollis*.  
 " 357, line 21 from top, for *Coaco* read *Cocoa*.  
 " 357, " 11 " bottom, for *Borneo* read *Africa*.  
 " 357, bottom line, for *Fiuns* read *Finns*.